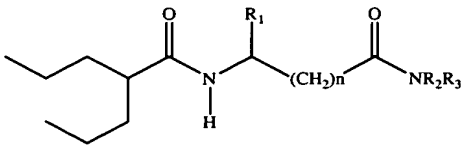
IMMEDIATE RELEASE FORMULATION
OF N-(2-PROPYLPENTANOYL)GLYCINAMIDE

Abstract of Invention

The subject invention provides an immediate release tablet comprising the following components: a) a uniform admixture of an active ingredient selected from the group consisting of valproic sodium acid, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester of valproic acid, divalproex sodium, valpromide and a compound having the structure:



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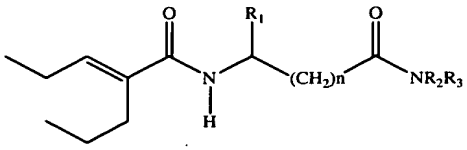

wherein R_1, R_2, and R_3 are independently the same or different and are hydrogen, a C_1-C_6 alkyl group, an aralkyl group, or an aryl group, and n is an integer which is greater than or equal to 0 and less than or equal to 3; and a hydroxypropyl cellulose, and b) a disintegrant, a process for manufacturing the tablet and a method of treating neuropathic pain, epilepsy, mania in bipolar disorder, a headache disorder, pain or of effecting pain prophylaxis in a subject.